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RE: MB Docket No. 15-149

Tom Wheeler Chairman Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

Dear Chairman Wheeler,

I am writing to give my support to New Charter, a proposed cable broadband company that stands to offer high-quality products to consumers and ensure the Interest is freely accessible to all customers. As a member of the Alabama House of Representatives, I am concerned about how corporate decisions could impact my constituents. I believe New Charter's proposal hits on all the most pressing broadband matters, and would benefit the people of Alabama.

New Charter would be a pro-consumer, pro-broadband company, combining the best of Charter communications, Time Warner Cable and Bright House Networks. Through numerous commitments, it would engage with local communities and improve the access to and quality of broadband for individuals and businesses throughout the country. The company would prioritize investing in innovation, including residential and commercial networks, and bring fiber-optics to customers in rural and underserved regions that are generally stuck with outdated technology. New Charter's speeds would range from fast to ultra-fast, and its 60 Mbps would be the quickest entry-level speed on the market.

New Charter would also commit to network neutrality, a vital policy that allows all domains equal-access to online users. The company would promise customers no date caps or usage-based billing, which would allow users unhindered broadband use. Network neutrality is an important principle that not all telecommunications companies share. New Charter's commitment is substantial and would benefit all customers.

I support New Charter because it would give my constituents access to superior products and protect their online rights. I ask that you please consider these benefits and approve the merger.

Sincerely,

Rep. Lynn Greer

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